

OH-CW4320



Ohio Crop Weather

October 26, 2020

Increased Precipitation Slowed Harvest

Crops were harvested at a slower pace due to higher amounts of precipitation last week, according to Cheryl Turner, State Statistician, USDA NASS, Ohio Field Office. Topsoil moisture conditions were rated 84 percent adequate to surplus by week's end, up 29 percentage points from the previous week. Approximately 28 percent of the State was abnormally dry or worse, according to the most recent <u>Drought Monitor</u>, compared to 56 percent the previous week. Average temperatures for the week were 5.1 degrees above historical normals and the entire State averaged 1.84 inches of precipitation. There were 2.8 days suitable for fieldwork during the week ending October 25.

Soybeans dropping leaves reached 100 percent, ahead of the five-year average by 2 percentage points. Soybeans harvested was at 73 percent while soybeans moisture content was at 13 percent. **Corn** mature was at 93 percent, one percentage point behind the five-year average, while corn moisture content was rated 22 percent. **Alfalfa hay** fourth cutting was at 92 percent, ahead of last year by 1 percentage point. **Other hay** third cutting was at 94 percent. Fifty percent of corn was rated good to excellent condition compared to 36 percent the previous year and 33 percent of **pasture and range** was rated good to excellent condition.



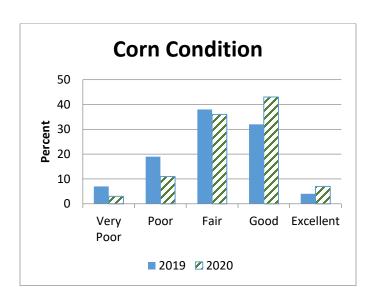
Item	Very short	Short	Adequate	Surplus		
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)		
Topsoil moisture	3	13	62	22		
Subsoil moisture	6	22	61	11		

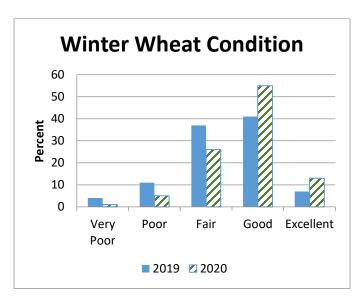
Crop Progress: Week Ending 10/25/20

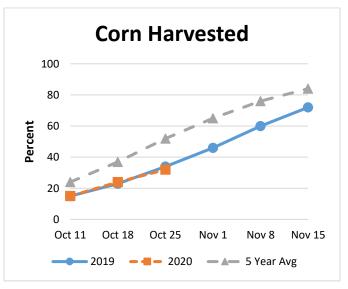
	Percent Completed							
Crop/Activity	This	Last	Last	5 Year				
	week	week	year	average				
Days Suitable for Fieldwork	2.8	5.4	-	-				
Corn Mature	93	86	79	94				
Corn Harvested for Grain	32	24	34	52				
Soybeans Dropping Leaves	100	97	93	98				
Soybeans Harvested	73	65	66	78				
Winter Wheat Planted	92	84	89	86				
Winter Wheat Emerged	65	37	69	60				
Alfalfa Hay 4th Cutting	92	91	91	NA				
Other Hay 3rd Cutting	94	93	94	NA				

Crop Condition: Week Ending 10/25/20

Crop	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn	3	11	36	43	7
Winter Wheat	1	5	26	55	13
Pasture and Range	5	19	43	30	3







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	Т	Temperature			Precipitation		Precipitation			GDD Base 50	
	High	Low	Avg	DFN	Total	Days	Total	DFN	Days	Total	DFN
Northwest							1				
BRYAN 2 SE	79	34	52	3	2.21	5		-6.47	73	3007	128
TOLEDO EXPRESS AP	81	35	52	2	1.78	5		-3.74	67	3331	375
VAN WERT 1 S	79	35	53	2	2.75	5	23.07	-2.53	57	3139	0
North Central											
BUCYRUS	80	39	56	6	2.79	5	24.68	-0.92	86	3090	293
FREMONT	64	45	52	2	2.98	4	17.76	-5.83	65	3228	219
MANSFIELD LAHM RGNL AP	79	37	54	5	1.70	5	22.13	-5.70	75	3223	493
NORWALK WWTP	65	45	53	3	2.49	4	24.94	0.24	72	3092	209
Northeast							•				
CHARDON	76	48	56	8	3.09	5	32.42	3.27	83	2608	292
CLEVELAND-HOPKINS INTL AP	79	43	55	3	3.98	5	35.33	11.50	81	3075	56
WARREN 3 S	78	27	54	6	1.34	4	25.59	-0.12	75	2545	91
West Central											
BELLEFONTAINE	78	44	56	5	1.63	4	26.69	1.46	75	2979	-18
GREENVILLE WATER PLANT	49	46	48	-3	0.70	1	21.96	-2.71	73	3064	93
SIDNEY 1 S	79	39	54	4	2.40	3	25.53	0.18	79	3052	112
URBANA WWTP	62	44	50	0	2.06	3	25.50	-1.85	79	2971	-56
Central							I				
CENTERBURG 2 SE	78	38	54	4	2.08	4	30.22	4.45	82	2884	-57
CIRCLEVILLE	81	43	57	5	1.51	4	23.15	-1.42	77	3353	96
East Central							ı				
DENNISON WATER WORKS	79	44	59	10	1.25	4	21.55	-3.78	83	3052	266
STEUBENVILLE	80	39	58	7	1.17	3	17.72	-7.95	54	2071	-947
Southwest							I				
DAYTON WRIGHT BROTHERS AP	80	41	57	4	2.19	6	21.46	-2.96	72	3546	279
EATON	79	38	54	3	2.94	5		-4.79	62	2985	
FRANKLIN	59	49	54	2	0.62	1		-3.17	59	3048	
South Central				_		_					
PORTSMOUTH-SCIOTOVILLE	83	34	61	7	0.97	5	28.25	3 71	86	3619	88
SOUTH POINT	82	40	62	8	0.95	2	33.56		72	3720	114
WAVERLY	82	38	59	7	1.03	3	30.06		60	3539	195
Southeast	02	50	5)	,	1.03	5	50.00	5.15	00	5557	1)0
BEVERLY STP	80	47	59	8	0.60	4	25 28	-0.44	89	3277	85
HANNIBAL LOCKS AND DAM	80	34	58	6	0.30	4	26.81		81	3042	-6
LOGAN	81	32	58	8	1.13	5		-4.54	88	3042	-6 162
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ZANESVILLE MUNICIPAL AP	80	41	58	7	0.46	3	24.66	0.80	80	3232	220

Note:

Summary based on NOAA Regional Climate Centers (RCCs) data. Climate normals used are for the 1981-2010 period. Precipitation (rain or melted snow/ice) in inches.

Air temperature in degrees fahrenheit.